

CHAPTER III—REVENUE AND FINANCE.

(i) Revenue and Finance.

252. The statement of the Receipts and Disbursements of the State for the year 1956-57, is appended in Appendix I of this report.

253. As a consequence of the Re-organisation of the States on 1st November 1956, the actuals for 1956-57 under all the heads of accounts (pre and post re-organisation period accounts taken together) are more than the actuals for 1955-56 and the two sets of figures are, therefore, not susceptible of comparison. Hence, the following points may however be mentioned:—

(i) The opening cash balance on 1st November 1956 was Rs. 3,74,45 thousands, including the cash in the Treasuries of the erstwhile States of Bombay, Hyderabad and Madras which merged with Mysore on that date as well as the share of the Mysore Government of the balances of those States in the Reserve Bank of India, on 31st October 1956 allocated among the successor States. In the case of the Treasuries concerned of the erstwhile State of Bombay, the actual cash taken over by the Mysore Government on 1st November 1956 was further re-allocated among the successor States on the population basis and only the share allocable to Mysore had been included in the opening balance on 1st November 1956. In the case of the cash balances pertaining to the erstwhile State of Madras and Hyderabad, further reallocation among the successor States is yet to be made.

(ii) The balance in the Contingency Fund of the erstwhile State of Mysore at the end of October 1956 was written off to Government Account. During the post re-organisation period, the Government of Mysore did not have a Contingency Fund.

(ii) Excise.

254. The Mysore Sugar Company Ltd., Bangalore, continued to be the manufacturing contractors for the supply of liquors during the year. Country
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